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TO

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FROM

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SUBJECT

: Withdrawal from Issue of

Applicant(s)

: Domenica A. Simms

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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,649,752 and an issue date of November 18, 2003.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant.

Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of November 18, 2003:

"All reference to Patent No. 6,649,752 to DOMENICA A. SIMMS of MARYLAND for RNA ISOLATION REAGENT AND METHODS appearing in the Official Gazette of November 18, 2003, should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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